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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Andrew C. Gilbert et al.
Application No. : 10/040,837 Confirmation No.: 2702
Filed : January 7, 2002
For : METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR PROVIDING
CROSSING MARKETS
Group Art Unit : 2161

New York, New York 10020
July 3, 2002

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 2327
Arlington, Virginia 22202

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants request that the time for filing a Reply to the February 6, 2002 Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application in the above-identified application be extended for a period of three months, from April 6, 2002 up to and including July 6, 2002.

A check in the amount of \$920.00, in payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is submitted herewith. Please charge any underpayment, or credit any

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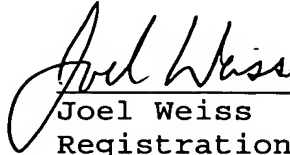
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overpayment, in connection with this Petition to Deposit
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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Joel Weiss", is written over a horizontal line.

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